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SPECIAL TOWN MEETING AT RUMFORD.

Childish Proceedings Concerning Bridge Question.

Now I'm for it, Then I'm 'Agin' It. Lets have another Town Meeting.

On Saturday, the special town meeting was held at the Wigwam and was well attended. The first article to come before the meeting, was the acceptance of River street, Hartford street also Stratford Ave., and Pine street. These streets were accepted and the next article was to see if the town would accept the new highway at Smith's Crossing. This was not accepted.

Then came the question in regard to the rebuilding or replacing of the footbridge, and this certainly was the topic of the day and for several days to come. Mr. E. W. Howe arose and made the following motion: "That the selectmen be instructed to effectually close the footbridge within twenty-four hours and that they also be instructed to demolish said bridge within ten days and sell the material." The motion was seconded by Mr. Gony and the vote carried, and the selectmen, true to their instructions, boarded up the bridge at three o'clock on Saturday afternoon. Great was the feeling around town in regard to this matter. The footbridge is a great convenience to the mill operatives especially, and to all the inhabitants of the Park and Waldo street, and they felt that the additional walk around by the big bridge was certainly too much.

After a consideration of the matter, it was decided that the bridge did not really belong to the town, but was the property of the Rumford Falls Power Co. It was also found that a new highway bridge could not be built at the place designated in the bridge hearing, if all went well for two years. This made everyone sit up and think, because the anticipation of having to walk that distance for two years was not a pleasing proposition to any one, therefore two of our well known merchants started over to the footbridge with axes and sledge hammers and with several strokes, tore asunder the boards, thereby opening the bridge once more to the public.

Following this, a petition was circulated for another special town meeting, in which the question is to be brought up of repairing the footbridge or of building a new one. It is said that the men who made the motion to close the bridge were the first ones to sign the petition for the new meeting. This bridge question has been a hot question for some time at Rumford and it is hoped that a satisfactory action may be taken at the next meeting.

On the article to see what the town would do in the matter of better school facilities, it was voted to raise \$2500 for building two additional rooms onto the Virginia schoolhouse. It was also moved that the moderator of the meeting appoint a committee to procure plans and estimates for a new high school building and to submit the same at the March meeting. Mr. A. E. Stearns, the moderator, appointed the School Committee, together with Mr. Cass Smith, the principal of the high school, and Mr. W. B. M. Ellingwood, Supt. of Schools for this committee. Five hundred dollars more was voted to be expended in the buying of more room for school purposes.

COLUMBIAN CLUB AT BETHEL.

The first meeting of the Columbian Club will be held on Friday, Oct. 14th, at the home of the Secretary, Mrs. O. M. Mason, at three o'clock, p. m. Members are especially invited to be present at the course of study planned by the directors is to be presented to the club; reports of the State Federation will be given by the delegates. Roll call will be answered by quotations. Proposals for new members will be gladly received, and it is hoped that our membership may be doubled. We can assure you a pleasant and profitable season if all will do their part.

NOTICE

All persons indebted to John Deane, late of Portland, would do his family a favor by sending the amount of indebtedness to A. Deane, Portland, Me., 22 State Street.

LOCAL HISTORY.

Court Houses and Places of Records.

Incidental Memorandum—By Leonard B. Chapman. Number 77.

IN SEVERAL PARTS—PART SEVEN. I might, and since reading in print my last article, have come to the conclusion I ought, and so will now be more explicit relative to events of the time covered by the article, in what I further have to say upon the topic. "Monument Square" in Portland is a very historical spot and so is the site of the Grand Trunk depot, and so is the foot of Exchange—originally called Fish street, but I think the first eclipses all others in and about the city.

In the year of 1718 Falmouth was incorporated, or re-incorporated. It was territorially about twelve miles square—the site of the present ancient town of Waldoboro, in Lincoln County. Within the ancient limits of old Falmouth there now are two towns—Falmouth and Cape Elizabeth and three city municipal governmental organizations, but Cape Elizabeth of a hundred and fifty years ago is not the Cape Elizabeth of today, which is a kind of side show to South Portland that occupies the territory then known as Cape Elizabeth or "Purpoelack"—spelled various ways.

It was February 1st, 1719, that the hamlet of Falmouth.

"Voted there be a meeting house built as soon as possible, thirty-six feet long, twenty-eight feet wide and twenty feet stud," that became the first court house of Cumberland County. A committee of three was chosen "to build the frame and make report of same."

But the work of building went on slowly. The structure was used not only for religious purposes but as a place of reception and storage of the goods of new adventurers. In 1727 pews were put in the house and the next year the General Court contributed towards its completion.

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16 TO 1.

Sixteen bullets to one deer is what the fellows are saying concerning the unfortunate doe brought in from Newry Saturday, by John Nelson. The story as brought to the Citizen office, by the coadjutant of an eye witness, but for which we do not unhesitatingly avouch, runs something as follows:

Said Nelson struck out for a deer. After many weary hours of tramping and many patient hours of watching and waiting had been checked off upon the dial, the innocent quadruped put in an appearance and the firing began. Whether the deer was hit or scared to death, the record does not show, but that as it may, he fell, never to rise again, and yet the firing continued. The natives of the township hearing the cannonading, rushed to the mountain fastnesses, and in the name of the deities of the forest, threw up the white flag just as the sixteenth bullet had found its course through that lifeless carcass.

WANTS TO HIRE THE PASTURE.

F. F. Bean says those who enjoy securing around all over northern Maine for a deer, may then find their enjoyment if they wish, but when he wants a deer he prefers to go out to his pasture and get him. And so, living true to that preference, he went out last Wednesday afternoon and just before darkness asserted himself brought in a white one. Wonder if he'll let that pasture? The Editor would kinder like to shoot a real deer, but he doesn't go way off into the woods after him.

A. LINCOLN KIRK AT BRYANT POND.

Mr. A. Lincoln Kirk, Impersonator and monologist, will give an entertainment at Orange Hall, Bryant Pond, on Monday evening, October 17th. The entertainment will be followed by a social dance. Mr. Kirk is a popular entertainer and the entertainment of this character should bring a crowded house in the evening.

FIRE ALARM.

Blaze at Prospect Hotel Extinguished by Chemicals.

The clang clang of the fire bell brought the firemen of Bethel to their posts Monday forenoon, and caused a shiver to measure the spine of the natives as the word went around that Prospect Hotel was the scene of the fire.

The usual alertness found the firemen at the scene with the couplings made before scarcely a spectator had put in an appearance. At this point Mr. Harry King came upon the veranda and announced that the flames were practically extinct and asked that no water be used unless ordered. Prompt and persistent use of the fire extinguisher had won out and saved what might have been a fearfully destructive fire.

A receiver in one of the chimneys had become overheated by the hot Monday morning fire in laundry and set fire to the paper covering the cap. This in turn set fire to a bureau which set against the chimney and the flames had spread throughout the room and even entered the one above before discovered. This may be considered another fortunate fire, if such there are, for given a little more start it would have baffled the firemen and had the flames gained control in the hotel, the strong winds sweeping up Broad street would have wrought destruction.

DEATH OF PROMINENT GREENWOOD MAN.

Dr. Austin J. Hayes died at his home in Greenwood, Wednesday morning, after an illness of about ten days. He was the son of the late Sewall F. Hayes and Fannie Hayes and was born in Newry, Feb. 2, 1851. Dr. Hayes was twice married. His first wife was Grace, daughter of Rev. J. W. Smith of Poland, to whom was born one son, Karl, who since her death, about 12 years ago, has lived in the family of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Emmons of W. Paris. His second wife was Mrs. Abbie (Emmons) Roberts, who, with his son Karl, his mother, Mrs. Fannie Emmons, and sister, Miss Bertha A. Emmons of Portland, survive him. Dr. Hayes was educated in the public schools at Hebron Academy and at Gray's Business College, Portland. After graduating he worked for two years in the store of L. P. Emmons at West Paris, later moving to the farm in Greenwood, where he died. He was a graduate veterinarian and had a marked degree of success in his practice. He had been supervisor of schools in Greenwood for several years. Since the recent death of the husband and two children of his step-daughter, Mrs. Basie (Roberts) Whitman, Mrs. Whitman and the two surviving children have lived in the family of Dr. Hayes and his death following so closely those in this family so nearly related, has been a terrible blow to his family and cast a gloom over the community. Dr. Hayes was a member of Granite Lodge, F. & A. M. of W. Paris, also K. of P. of Portland and W. Paris Orange.

The funeral service was held from his late home, Saturday, Rev. D. B. Ford officiated and the interment was in W. Paris cemetery. There were beautiful flowers from the following friends: wreath from district No. 2, teacher and scholars; cross from Howe Hill school; basket flowers with dove, Locke Mills grammar school; large plant, white gladioli and ferns, from Locke Mills primary school; bouquet, Mrs. W. O. Emmons; pillow, Mrs. A. J. Hayes and family; pillow, Granite Lodge, F. & A. M.; basket from sister, B. A. Emmons; cut flowers, roses and ferns, Mrs. Sarah Helen Davies; bouquet plums from teacher and pupils district No. 7; bouquet, Mrs. L. B. Emmons; Mrs. Geo. Hayes; bouquet, Mrs. Grover Yates; bouquet, Mrs. Francis Cole; flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tracey.

NEW BOOKS

Lately Added to the Bethel Library: Oplum Eater, DeQuincy, Merley. John Waterhouse's Family, Alice Brown, Thurston, Walter. Planted Quarters, Dawn Home With Jennie Allen, Dearworth. News in the Night, New York, N. Y.

ANDOVER FAIR.

Weather Man outdid himself as did the exhibitors.

The 26th annual fair of the Oxford North Agricultural Society opened Wednesday, October 5th and it certainly was the best fair held on the Andover grounds for years. Wednesday and Thursday seemed like mid-summer days and the beauty of the fall scenery defied description.

More cattle and horses were on the grounds than have been for the past five years combined.

There was one race Wednesday, a green horse race for a purse of 25 bushels of oats. Goldie S. (Sourvany) won with Baby H. (Houghton) a close second. The ball game between Andover and Smithville, resulted in a victory for Andover 3 to 2.

Thursday, 1300 tickets were sold and every body seemed happy.

The attractions on the grounds were well patronized. The other attraction was the merry-go-round that everybody patronized. The corner occupied by Charles Howe of Rumford was surrounded by a crowd all the time as he had almost everything to sell. All the other midway attractions were busy. During the forenoon was the ball game between the Rumford High School and the K. O. K. A.'s of Andover.

In the hall many exhibits were in place. Lone Mountain Grange of Andover had a small exhibit. The committee in charge of this was Mr. and Mrs. Ward Perkins, Miss Lillie Thomas, Roger Thurston and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hall. The school exhibit was in charge of the superintendent of schools, Mrs. E. B. Merriell. The schools have been in session only a week and all this work was done in this time. It consisted of map and other drawings and weaving and is a great credit to the pupils as well as to Mrs. Merriell, who is the most efficient head of the school department.

In the stock department there were good exhibits. The cattle shown in quality, were not better at any fair. Most of these herds have been built up by the owners and with care and selection in breeding they have produced some fine animals that together make good herds.

CATTLE PULLING.

One feature of the cattle pulling that probably has not been seen at any fair on the State this fall was the good work pulling done by a pair of cattle owned by S. A. Welner of Andover driven by George Ernst. A head yoke was used on these oxen and they made the best exhibition of pulling. They were the smallest pair in their class being 4 ft. 2 in. high and they pulled the lead 301 feet. It pleased the crowd to see them pull so easy. The driver used a small lash whip and his driving was easy and careful and the cattle were not abused at all.

To those who have never seen a head yoke used it was a decided novelty and very interesting. The yoke is made in one nearly straight piece and is laid on the head just on top of the horns. Short straps fasten it to the harness securely and a shield of leather is over the forehead behind the horns. This makes both heads steady and the cattle pull together. One head cannot move without the other. The cattle do not pull at all, they push. All the cattle men and spectators were intensely interested. They were the smallest pair in the class and would have taken first prize but the man was a careful driver and followed the instructions of the owner, Mr. Welner, who cared more for the way the oxen were used than for first money. Mr. Welner came from Nova Scotia and says he never saw a bow yoke until he came to Maine. These oxen were fat and handsome and have been hard at work all the fall yarding wood and for their lashes cut pulled any cattle on the grounds.

F. C. Bryant of Milton had a pair that measured 4 ft. 6 in. and they pulled the lead, 2916 pounds, 333 feet. F. C. Bryant of Milton made a spectacular pull of 332 feet with his oxen that girl 6 ft. 6 in. Mr. Bryant is a good teamster and had an "able bodied" oxen that he used more than he did the grand, O. Bartlett of Upton with 4 ft. 6 in. oxen pulled 24 ft. Newell Gidwin of Andover pulled 141 ft. In the class over 7 feet J. M. Hall pulled the lead of 4245 pounds 333 feet and F. H. Smith 141 feet.

The judges were O. G. Dames and C. T. Poor, Andover and A. L. Davis, Bethel, N. Y.

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ENTERTAINMENT AT THE M. E. CHURCH.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church of Bethel, will give an entertainment in the church next Monday evening, October 17.

The program will consist of dramatic readings by Gertrude Greene Young of Boston and musical numbers by the best local talent. Mrs. Young has an enviable reputation as a reader and the coming entertainment is anticipated with much pleasure.

SUICIDE BY SHOOTING.

Mrs. Arthur L. Morgan, who lived just out of Bethel on the Albany road, committed suicide by shooting herself through the head with a rifle, last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Morgan had been in poor health for some time and at times had not been considered just right in her mind. She had even intimated that life had but little attraction for her.

On Saturday afternoon, while Mr. Morgan was sleeping in the house, she secured his rifle, went to an out building and did the deed. One of the neighbors heard the report, went to the scene and discovered what had been done.

Coroner Packard was called but pronounced an inquest unnecessary. She was 56 years of age and is survived by a husband, one daughter and a sister. The funeral was held Monday and the remains were taken to Weld for interment.

POWERS—OLIVER.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Tuesday, Oct. 4th at the residence of Mr. Joseph Oliver at Middle Intervale, Bethel, Maine. The bride was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver and was united in marriage with Mr. Harold L. Powers. The ceremony was performed by their pastor, Rev. C. L. Banghart. The day was unusually balmy and pleasant, all nature seeming to smile. At an early morning hour, the guests began to arrive, until about fifty were present. The bride was prettily gowned in pearl white tulle and combined with beautiful lace and embroidery and wore a lace veil, caught with a very pretty brooch of brilliant, the pin being a gift from an aunt of the bride. She carried a large bunch of bride's roses. The groom wore the conventional suit of black. Promptly at 12 o'clock, to the strains of Lohengrin's march, played by Mrs. C. L. Banghart, the bride party appeared and stood under a beautiful evergreen and floral arch. The singing service was used, the hymn being carried by little Elaine Bean, a cousin of the bride. The maid of honor was Miss Missie Wilson and the best man, Mr. Stephen Abbott, both of Bethel. After the usual congratulations, a delicious lunch was served.

There were many beautiful and useful presents, one being a nice gold watch, the gift of the groom. The traveling suit was of navy blue chifon, trimmed with trimmings of white satin and silk braided embroidery; the whole outfit embracing many yards of exquisite hand made lace, being the handiwork of the bride and her mother.

The guests from out of town were as follows: Mrs. Margaret of Kroll, N. H., Mr. W. H. Powers and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Powers, Jr. of Newry, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Evans of North Lovell, George B. Magill and Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Adamsen of East Bethel, Mr. Frank Cummings and Mrs. W. P. Bean and Mrs. Mary E. Jordan of Locke Mills.

Later in the afternoon, as an ante arrived to convey the happy couple to the train, they were plentifully showered with rice, and old shoes found their way to the back of the auto. They departed for Bryant Pond, where they took the train en route for Boston and vicinity, where they were to spend about a week, after which they will return and settle on the old Oliver homestead. The best wishes of a host of friends went with them.

CORN SHOP AT BETHEL.

Labeling began at the corn shop, October 5, and two car loads of corn have been shipped the past week. There will be 2,000 ears more to ship, as the corn is all sold and there are "rush orders." Orders are coming in daily, but there is no corn to fill the extra orders. It has been actually announced that the company will not

WANT COLUMN.

Put your Want and Sale notices here and they will be read in 3,000 Oxford County homes—4 lines 1 week 25c. 3 weeks 60c.

PINK AND GREEN TOURMA lines—Very fine and for sale very cheap. Inquire of HARRY DUDLEY, Bethel, Me.

4-8 & 2

Dr. Daniels—Horse Colic—Cure—cures or money back—of any dealers; Insure your horse against Colic.

FOR SALE—7 H. P. Fairbanks gasoline engine in first class condition. Also 5 light dynamo, 5 h. p. motor and 1.2 h. p. motor. Any or all will be sold at a bargain. Address, E. C. Bowler, Bethel, Maine.

FOUND—On our premises, one buck sheep. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges, E. C. Chase, Bethel, Maine. 9-23-31-p.

WANTED—Several young ladies to work on advertising. Inquire of Whitten & Dennison, West Bethel, 9-27-11.

FOR SALE—Slightly used 32 Special Winchester and 303 Savage rifle. Call on or address, E. P. Lyon, Bethel, Me. 9-29-11.

WANTED, AT ONCE—Hampton's Magazine wants a reliable man or woman in Bethel to sell the fastest-growing magazine in America. Earn \$1.50 to \$3.00 a day. Write immediately for "Salary Plan" and FREE outfit. Address "YON," Sales Mgr., Hampton's Magazine, 25 West 35th St., New York. 10-6-11.

BOYS! GIRLS! FREE COLUMBIA BICYCLES for a little extra spare-time work for Hampton's Magazine. Send postal for wonderful FREE Bicycle Offer. Address "Bicycle Club," Room 538, 60 West 35th St., New York. 10-6-11.

SECOND HAND BECKMAN WATER MOTOR at a bargain. Will develop 3 h. p. at 80 pounds pressure. Inquire at Citizen Office Bethel, Me.

175 ACRES FARM, 50 acres in fields, balance in pasture and soft wood. Cuts 50 tons of hay. Good set of farm buildings, consisting of house, ell, shed and 70 foot barn, all connected. Another new barn that will hold 30 tons of hay. Cellar under each barn. Excellent wells with pump in sink. 100 M. soft wood lumber with quantities of smaller soft wood. Hard wood, also fruit trees enough for home use. In order to realize quick sale this property is placed at \$2500. Part cash, balance easy terms. Inquire of E. C. BOWLER, Bethel, Me.

FOR SALE—One double driving harness, with adjustable pole, at a bargain. E. C. CHAMBERLAIN, Bethel, Maine. 10-13

FOR SALE—One six horse power International Engine, second hand. In good shape. Inquire of C. L. DAVIS, Bethel, Me. 10-13 & 1

SALSMEN WANTED to look after our interest in Oxford and adjacent counties. Salary or Commission. Address THE HARVEY OIL CO., Cleveland, O. 10-13 11 p

The farmers \$1.2 cents per pound next year. No doubt with the success of this year and the reputation the Bethel corn has gained, even south and west, there will be an increased acreage next year.

Mr. Whitman will remain in Bethel until the corn is all labeled and shipped then he will go to Norway to can apple. Six hundred barrels are already waiting to be canned. The three "Whitman boys" will go to Norway with Mr. Whitman and remain during the season of apple canning. Five or six girls from Bethel, can get a good education in the Norway shop by applying to Mr. Whitman at the corn shop here.

1910 will close one of the most successful years in all the departments of canning that Bethel has had, and the present year promises well for the future of this industry here, which has done so much under the efficient management of Mr. Whitman, who had won so many friends among the Bethel people during his nine seasons as manager of the canning shop.

Come And See

Large and Up-to-date Line of

MILLINERY

Outing Night Robes,
and Under Skirts,
Kimonas, Sweaters,
Etc., Etc.

L. M. STEARNS.
BETHEL, MAINE.

IRA C. JORDAN
DEALER IN

General Merchandise and Grain, BETHEL, MAINE.

GROVER HILL.

"The distant hills are blue with haze,
The autumn skies are bright,
The falling woodlands on the shore
Are tinted in a night."

The forest paths are strewn with leaves
Of russet, brown and gold,
And through it all, a robin sings
His heart in the cold.

And then it is when autumn comes
With gold and crimson wings,
All nature seems to her content
And slumbers, at the sign.

This place was largely represented
at the Waterford fair, Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Jordan and
daughter, Marion, from Mechanic Falls,
were guests at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Maurice Tyler, Sunday.

A. J. Poulton from West Bethel and
Harry Lyons from Auburn, called on
friends in this place, Monday, October
10th.

Mr. Pappen Paddock visited rela-
tives in Auburn and Norway last
week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hammond from
Bethel village, called on friends here,
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams re-
turned the first of last week from an
visit among relatives in Milan, N. H.
Herbert Knutson from Sunday River,
was at W. A. Stearns' on business, one
day last week.

REACHING THE TOP

In any calling of life, demands a vigor-
ous body and a keen brain. Without
health there is no success. But Electric
Bitters is the greatest Health Builder
the world has ever known. It cures
perfect action of stomach, liver, kid-
neys, bowels, purifies and enriches the
blood, tones and invigorates the whole
system and enables you to stand the
wear and tear of your daily
work. "After months of suffer-
ing from Kidney Trouble," writes
W. M. Sherman, of "Cutting,
Me." "three bottles of Electric Bitters
made me feel like a new man." See at
Chas. Fernald, Bangor Falls.
Nathan Reynolds, Orono.
H. J. Reynolds, Middleville.
C. A. Gardner, Dixfield.

Save of Himself.

"I'll give you a position as clerk to
start with," said the merchant, "and
pay you what you are worth. Is that
satisfactory?"
"Oh, perfectly," replied the college
graduate. "But—would you think the
firm can afford it?"—Lippincott's
Fables and Fashions.
"Well, there'll soon be plenty of
positions."
"I don't care for 'em, they're too
few."
"The position you've been going
with must need a slave."

BETHEL AND VICINITY.

Mr. D. C. Philbrook was in Portland,
Saturday.

Harvey Powers of So. Paris, was in
Bethel, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rowe are in
Boston this week.

Miss Nellie Coburn came home from
Portland, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Clough went
to Portland, Sunday.

Mrs. H. S. Pashard went to Boston,
Monday, for a week.

Mr. W. J. Upton has been spending a
few days in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Fox are camping
at the Lakes, this week.

Mrs. E. O. Cline went to Boston,
Monday, to visit relatives.

Mrs. D. S. Hastings returned from
Dorchester, Mass., this week.

Mrs. J. M. Philbrook went to Port-
land, Monday, for a few days.

Mrs. Lauretta Valentine went to
Boston, Monday, for a few weeks.

Mr. Edw. Perkins of Gorham, N. H.,
visited friends in Bethel, recently.

Remember the entertainment at the
M. E. church next Monday evening.

Mr. F. W. Noyes of Gorham, N. H.,
was in Bethel on business, last Thurs-
day.

A large delegation from Bethel at-
tended the fair at Waterford, Satur-
day.

Mr. J. Harold Young of Portland,
spoke Sunday with his parents in
Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Edwards
started for their home in Los Angeles,
Monday.

Prof. W. B. Wright went to Portland,
Sunday, to attend the Maine Musical
Festival.

Mrs. A. Merrill returned from the
Maine General Hospital in Portland,
last week.

Mrs. Agnes Biraw attended the
Maine Musical Festival in Portland,
this week.

Mrs. Eva Chapman of Pomona, Cal.,
was the guest of Mrs. Susan Chapman,
Thursday.

Mrs. T. F. Hastings, Miss Paula
Mason and Mrs. Harry King attend-
ed the fair at Fryburg, one day last
week.

The Ladies' Club will meet at Gar-
land Chapel, Saturday afternoon, at
2 P. M. The chapel will be open to re-
ceive papers from 2 to 5 P. M.

Remember the Harvest Fair and sup-
per tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Kilborn drove
to South Paris, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stowell have
moved into Mrs. Penley's rent.

Mr. Irving Smith was confined to
the house by illness last week.

Robert Herrick, the novelist, is
spending a few weeks in Bethel.

A little daughter was born to Mr.
and Mrs. Arthur Baxton, Monday.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs.
O. M. Mason, Tuesday, October 12.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jordan went to
South Paris, Tuesday, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett McKean visited
relatives in Shelburne, N. H., Sunday.

Mrs. Phoebe Crocker has gone to Con-
way, to make her home with relatives.

Mrs. Milton Penley has returned
from an extended visit in Massachusetts.

Mrs. C. P. Biggs of South Water-
ford, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frances
Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bean visited
relatives in Hamford a few days last
week.

Mrs. Bucknam, of West Paris, was
the guest of Mrs. J. C. Billings re-
cently.

Miss Marion Pratt has been enter-
taining her father and mother from
Reading, Mass.

Mrs. Melinda Bean was the guest of
her niece, Mrs. E. A. Anderson at So.
Paris, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Barbank and Mr. and
Mrs. E. S. Kilborn, were in Andover
one day last week.

Mrs. Fred L. Edwards spent a few
days in Portland this week and at-
tended the Festival.

Dr. Austin Tenney, optician and Mr.
Jerome Williams of Portland, were in
Bethel last week.

Mr. Campbell, upholsterer for the
Bethel Chair Co., has returned with
his family to Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cowan of Ham-
ford, were guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Jesse Finney, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Sturtevant and
son, Walter, and Mrs. D. C. Philbrook,
attended the Andover fair.

Mrs. Wm. Hastings, Harry King
and E. Herrick went to Andover in Mr.
Hastings' auto, last week.

Harvest Fair and Supper at Old
Fellows Block, Thursday. Supper will
be served at 6:15, 25 cents.

Dr. and Mrs. B. P. Bradbury of Nor-
way, called on relatives in Bethel, Sat-
urday on their way to the lakes.

Mrs. Eva Chapman has gone to
Virginia to visit her daughter before
returning to her home in Pomona, Cal.

Mrs. J. P. Pennington was among
those who went to Portland Monday,
to attend the Maine Musical Festival.

Judge A. E. Herrick and daughter,
Miss Miriam Herrick, attended the
Festival concert in Portland, Monday
evening.

Mr. Frank West entertained Sunday.
his sister, Mrs. Herbert Day of Port-
land and her son in law and his little
daughter.

Mrs. Fred Glover, who has been
visiting her sister, Mrs. Irving Smith,
returned to her home in Gorham, Vt.,
Thursday.

News has been received of the sad
death of Dr. Sturtevant's father,
who will be remembered by many
Bethel people.

Mr. Chas. Tidwell, who has been
spending a few weeks at the Lakes,
returned to his home in Hephzibah,
Mass., Saturday.

Miss D. N. Morton, a teacher in
Watkinsburg, was the guest of
her parents, Mrs. E. A. VanSchooten
last week.

Mrs. Fred Chandler and daughter,
Margaret, spent Sunday in Bethel. Miss
Hilde accompanied them home to An-
dover to return later.

The Ladies' Aid Society has been
using who attend partake of the Har-
vest Supper. We have voted the
"Ladies' Aid" ticket. You are all invited
come down.

Just Arrived.

Fresh Fall stock of the celebrated
American Beauty Corsets.

The steady and rapid increase in my corset sales proves the cor-
sets are giving good satisfaction.

Every American Beauty Corset I sell is sold with the understand-
ing that if it does not prove satisfactory in every way you can have
your money back or new corset as you choose.

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Harvest Fair!

Miss Emma Burke is recovering
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Rev. W. C. Curtis went to Boston
Monday, to attend the centennial of
the American Board of Foreign Mis-
sions.

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs.
Florence Andrews Friday and the de-
legates gave a most interesting report
of the State Convention, held in Port-
land.

Mrs. P. B. Toell went to Dorchester,
Mass., Thursday, to visit her daughter,
Mrs. Gottard Carlson. She will also
visit relatives in Boston, Milton, and
Providence, R. I.

Mrs. Agnes Ames entertained her
brother, Dr. Kimball of Minneapolis,
Maine, the first of the week. She ac-
companied him to Bangor, where they
will visit relatives.

Mrs. Abner West, of Virginia, who
has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. F.
Copeland, went to Portland, Wednes-
day, where she will visit relatives, be-
fore returning to her home.

Deacon Edw. Garland, Field Secre-
tary of the Maine Bible Society of
Portland, will occupy the pulpit at the
congregational church next Sunday,
in the absence of the pastor.

Miss Natalie Barker, who has been
engaged as linotype operator at the
Citizen office for the past few months,
resigned her services last Wednesday
and started Friday for the State of
Washington with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. A. V. Barker and sister, Fannie.

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When you heard that dreadful sight
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THOUGHTS.
Just what you think is just what you
are,
The mold of a man is his mind,
And the thoughts that take place will
reflect in the face
The size of the soul hid behind.

You never can buy an innocent eye,
The mask of the saint is not sold;
You just have to be and to think and
to see
To build up a conscience of gold.

So make life a song—you're not living
long;
But while you are alive and can
think
Put into that mind the best you can
find,
And from all that is base proudly
shrink.

The heart that can tell to itself "all is
well,"
And beat with a passion of love,
Is the heart that has caught the purest
of thought
From the mind of the man just
above.

EARL C. JOHNSON.

THE MORNING AFTER THE STORM
Joe Lincoln.
All night has the ocean hurled
His armies upon the beach,
With the white war-dogs unfurled
And the sea-wind's battle screech;
All night to the seething fray
Did the raging billows swarm,
But pure is the peace today—
The morning after the storm.

For the dancing waves of blue
Are dappled with silver white;
The spray, as the sun shines through,
Is halcyon with rainbow light,
The breeze blows out from the land
Soft and scented and warm,
And Eden is close at hand—
The morning after the storm.

Ab, dearest, the gale's wild wrack
Made sweeter the calm that came,
The night with its cloak of black
Made dearer the sunbeam's flame;
And when, in our lives, the skies
Grow dark, and the tempests form,
Still brighter the sun will rise—
The morning after the storm.

AN AUTUMN MORNING.
The frost's gleam in the mellow dawn,
And the spiders' nets are on the lawn,
And deep in filmy robes of mist
The hills and the silent woodlands lie,
And anon, as the sun comes up the sky,
The gray clouds turn to amethyst.

The tender song of the waking thrush
Is heard no more in the brooding hush,
Nor Unnet's song in the dying trees,
And down where the doddler's skelins
are spread,
The witch hazel gleams in velvet red,
And the sweetbriar waves in the
breeze.

And wheeling up through the distant
sky,
On their flashing wings the plovers fly,
And over the breast of the pool,
Through haze of the daybreak's atmos-
phere,
The cry of a blither, sharp and clear,
Comes from the marshes, dim and
cool.

And deep in the grasses at our feet,
The tenebrous crickets still sing as sweet
As in the depths of torrid June;
And o'er the dells and sleepy woods,
A reverent hush of stillness broods
As moraine dreams into noon.
—Edward Wilbur Mason.

BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE.
If you have a gray haired mother
In the old home far away,
Sit down and write the letter
You put off day by day.
Don't wait until her tired steps
Heave Heaven's pearly gate—
But show her that you think of her
Before it is too late.

If you're a tender messenger
Or a loving word to say,
Don't wait till you forget it
But whisper it today.
Who knows what bitter memories
May haunt you if you wait—
So make your loved ones happy
Before it is too late.

We live but in the present,
The future is unknown—
Tomorrow is a mystery,
Today is all our own.
The chance that fortune lends to us
May vanish while we wait,
To spend your life's rich treasure
Before it is too late.

The tender words unspeak,
The letter never sent,
The long forgotten message,
The wealth of love unspent.

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For these some hearts are breaking,
For these some loved ones wait—
To show them that you care for them
Before it is too late.
—Ida Goldsmith Morris.

"Self is the only prison that can ever
bind the soul,
Love is the only angel who can bid the
gates unroll,
And when he comes to call thee, arise
and follow fast,
His way may lead through darkness,
but it leads to light at last."
Unknown.

EAST SUMMER.

Gladys Buck, who has been spending
the summer with her uncle, A. W.
Horton, went to Waverley, Mass., last
week, where she will be a nurse in the
insane hospital. After a two years' course
there, she will take a supple-
mentary course at the Bellevue hospi-
tal, New York City. She graduated
from the Norway High School last
June.

Mrs. John I. Hutchinson, (nee Geneva
Barrett) of Ithaca, N. Y., is visiting
relatives in town. She and Prof.
Hutchinson will visit Europe during
the coming winter.

Rev. F. M. Lamb will spend several
weeks in Canada, doing evangelistic
work.
Deacon Stephen C. Heald died very
suddenly last Friday, while at work in
the field. Mr. Heald has been a mem-
ber of the Congregational church since
his young manhood, and was a great
worker for the church, always ready
to do whatever good work needed to
be done. He was the leader of the
choir since he was sixteen years old,
and led the singing the Sunday be-
fore his death. His death leaves a
vacancy in the church and community
that can never be filled. He leaves a
wife, three sons and a daughter. He
was a man of very genial disposition,
an inimitable story teller, and one
could not long be out of humor in his
presence. A well beloved and worthy
man has gone to his reward.

NORTH HARTFORD.

Adelle Knight went to Livermore,
recently.
John Davenport lost a good cow
Thursday night, caused by getting an
apple in her throat.
Percy Davenport has gone to Rock
field, picking apples for a Mr. Briggs.
Francis Sargent has a dog, Bruno,
that is quite worthy of notice, having
killed 35 woodchucks and 15 eels, be-
side some other animals this year. Who
has a smarter one!

Cecil Bartlett, who bought the ap-
ples on the Blanchard farm, has them
all picked. He got 130 barrels or more,
being a much larger yield than was
expected.
Llewellyn Pollard purchased a cow of
Charles Hutchinson recently.
Robert Henry is working for J. F.
Davenport, picking apples.
Adelbert Freeman and Josie Kilder
are down from Mexico, harvesting
their apples.
No apple buyers as yet. Hope to
see one before long.
Bert Carver is picking apples for
Madison Ford.

The first frost came Friday night,
October 7th, to kill the vines. Every-
thing was green till then on the hill
farms.

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The joke.

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WEST BETHEL.

The Local Happenings as Told
by Our Special Reporter.

J. F. Rollins spent Sunday in town.
Lyman Jodrey left for Boston, Mon-
day.
Leal Mason is driving a very fine
colt.

Captain S. F. Correll returned to Bos-
ton, Sunday.
C. P. Dennison was in Lewiston Sat-
urday, on business.
Arthur Brown and Miss Corn Scrib-
ner attended the No. Waterford fair,
Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Bennett of Gor-
ham, N. H., visited friends here Fri-
day.
Mr. Martin Whitney returned Sat-
urday from a three weeks' visit in
Schaghticoke.

Mrs. W. W. Goodridge and daughter,
Libbie Lynde, spent Saturday in Gor-
ham, N. H.
Mr. Harry Lyon of Auburn, is in
this vicinity on a hunting trip.
Wm. Bennett and wife are rejoicing
over the birth of a daughter, Oct. 7.
Conductor Ed. Skillings was noticed
in his old position on the passenger
train, Sunday.

Miss Mabel Scribner is spending a
few weeks with the family of Rev.
Guphill, at Pownall.
Mr. Will Mills has been visiting at
the home of his father, W. D. Mills,
the past week.

Mr. Amos Scribner of Gorham, N.
H., is visiting his brother, Eben Scrib-
ner and sister, Mrs. Lydia Merrill.
Boile Bros. have bought the Merrill-
Springer mill property here and will
begin operations in the near future.

Mr. Wm. A. Spear of Portland, took
a deer back with him Sunday, the first
to be shipped this season.
Mrs. Elmer Howe of Haverhill, spent
Sunday with her daughter, Miss Jessie,
at the home of Mrs. L. E. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Dennison re-
turned Friday from Augusta, where
the former had a paper at the post
masters' convention.
Hunting is the order of the day. Two
parties came from Portland last week,
going into camp on the mountains.

Mrs. Frank Goodnow and daughter,
who have been visiting at the home of
Geo. Goodnow, returned to their home
in Shelburne, Friday.
Rev. Guphill is spending the week
in West Bethel and is being entertain-
ed at the home of J. E. Pike and
H. P. Dennison.

There will be a harvest supper this
Thursday evening at the Grange Hall,
for the benefit of the church. It will
be ready to serve at six o'clock, so do
not get supper at home, but come one,
come all. Bill, 25c. for adults and 15c.
for children.

NEWRY.

W. A. Foster has the most of his
apples picked.
H. B. Hastings has a good crew get-
ting his potatoes can.
Quite a number of people went from
this place to attend the fair at An-
dover last Wednesday and Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Walker and
daughter went to Bethel last Sat-
urday, in their auto.

LOCKE MILLS.

Charles Morton of Malden, Mass., is
a guest of his brother, Fred.
Nelson Swift fell from a staging
12 feet, Friday and broke three ribs
and sustained several severe bruises,
besides being shaken up badly.

Mr. E. Fiske, with his family, at-
tended the Waterford fair Saturday.
Phil Morton of Malden, Mass., spent
Saturday and Sunday with his uncle,
Fred.
Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Grant spent last
week with friends away.

Mrs. C. R. Bartlett will visit friends
in Portland and Lewiston, this week.
Alice Brown visited friends in Nor-
way, Saturday and Sunday.
Charles Parham stuck a nail into
his foot last week, which is causing
him much trouble.

Joseph Fairbanks is home from
Curtis' Corner, where he has been em-
ployed for several months.
Several from here look in the excur-
sion to Boston, Monday.

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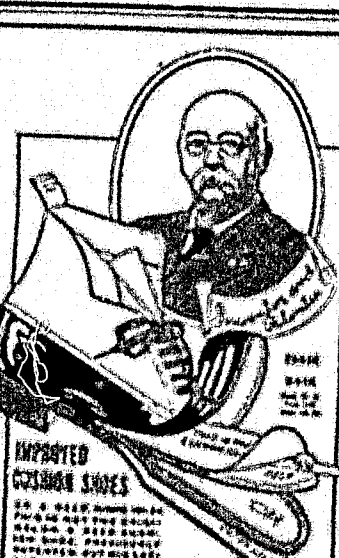
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RUMFORD.

Geo. Patten left Monday for a visit in Boston.

Jas. D. Clark spent Sunday in Gorham, visiting friends.

Mr. Ed Bowers started Monday, for a brief trip to Boston.

Mrs. A. K. Martin spent Sunday with friends at Rumford Center.

Mrs. Fred Andrews left the first of the week for a visit in Boston.

Solon Putnam of Hanover visited R. J. Virgin and family, Monday.

J. H. Haggart left Monday for a short business trip to New York.

Waldo Pettengill was in Portland the first of the week on business.

M. L. Griffin spent several days the last of the week in Springfield, Mass.

Mr. Allan, paymaster for the M. C. R. was in town, Monday, on business.

Miss Ella Burdett is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Tibbets at Kennebago, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gonyea of Bar Harbor are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Gonyea.

Ernest Rowe left Monday for a week's visit with his parents in North Orange, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Putnam left Monday to visit their son, Albert Putnam, in Beverly, Mass.

John Tucker, of Sanford was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tucker, over Sunday.

L. M. Bleckford of New York was in town Monday in the interests of the International Paper Co.

Mrs. A. E. Stearns accompanied the Judge to So. Paris on Tuesday, for a short visit with friends in Norway.

Atwood Lyon, the young son of Mr. Helen Lyon, has been on the sick list a few days the first of the week.

Mrs. Carrie Spaulding of Buckfield, has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Bisbee for the past week.

Philip Pottle of Glen Falls, N. Y., has come here to take a position in the International Paper Co. and will move his family shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bisbee were among the guests at the Holt-Stowell wedding on Tuesday, October 11th.

The Cosmos Club will hold a meeting at Hotel Rumford on Friday evening of this week, Rev. Elliott Bates Barber will give a paper on "International Peace."

Don't forget the food sale at Randall's store on Saturday afternoon, under the auspices of the Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist Church. Refreshments will be served throughout the afternoon.

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Mrs. Fred Smith of Caribage is the guest of friends in town.

Miss Gladys Hanley is spending the week with friends in Gorham.

Albert Belliveau returned Saturday from spending the week in Bangor.

C. S. Boynton's restaurant closed Friday morning for an indefinite period.

Miss Louise Martin spent Sunday as the guest of Miss Abby Starbird of So. Paris.

Dr. Bradbury and wife of Norway, visited their daughter, Mrs. E. L. Cowan, Sunday.

Mr. Albert Park of So. Paris, was the guest of friends and relatives in town, Monday.

E. A. Allen of Portland, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Putnam, over Sunday.

Miss Eva McGraw of Lewiston, was the guest of Mr. Joseph Whole and family, over Sunday.

Mrs. John Martin attended the Andover fair and reported the same for the Lewiston Journal.

Miss Lena Felt returned from Bryant Pond, Monday, being called there by the illness of her mother.

John Darrab and his daughter, Miss Violet Darrab, left Monday for a short visit with friends in Boston.

The annual excursion to Boston to the Mechanic's Fair, started on Monday and quite a few attended.

Mr. E. S. Kennard was called to Portland on business, Monday and Miss Susie Virgin assisted at the bank.

The N. E. O. P. are to have a masquerade ball on Thursday evening of this week at Howard Opera House in Mexico.

H. L. Melcher and wife spent Sunday at Hanover. Mrs. Melcher will be the guest of Mrs. E. L. Lovejoy for the coming week.

Supreme Court convenes at So. Paris on Tuesday of this week and all members of the bar and the deputy sheriffs are in attendance.

Mrs. McGregor accompanied by Miss Hazel McGregor and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll, returned Sunday from a trip to Portland, by auto.

The Board of Health held a meeting on Monday, at Rumford Point, meeting with the president of the board, Mr. Harry G. Elliott.

E. L. Cowan and wife took an auto trip to Bethel the last of the week and while there were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jameson Finney.

With the change of time the mail coaches to be delivered in the residential section of the town after the night train, but is delivered in the morning instead.

Mr. H. L. Elliott took Henry Fecteau to So. Paris for thirty days on Tuesday. Fecteau was arrested on a charge of drunkenness, disturbing the peace and disorderly conduct in general.

Saturday night a meeting of the S. of Y. was held in their hall and the camp voted to send the following members as delegates to the Maine Division of U. S. A., to be held at Brunswick on November 2nd: L. L. Niles, J. M. Dyer, and all past commanders are always delegates if they are able to attend.

Mr. Preston Howard, one of the life long residents of the Ellis River section of the town of Rumford, died at his home on Friday, after an illness of a year or more, caused by a shock. Mr. Howard was seventy-eight years old and had passed his life, as the greater part of it, on his farm in this town and was respected and esteemed by all of his neighbors and friends. He leaves quite a large family of children, among whom are Mr. Frank and Ellsworth Howard of this immediate vicinity.

At the parish meeting of the Universalist church on Thursday evening, it was voted to shingle the west side of the church while the carpenters were at work repairing the roof. Several matters of business were attended to at this meeting.

Miss Margaret Dennett of So. Portland, a former teacher of the second grade in the Chisholm School, returned the first of the week and will resume her teaching in a few weeks. Miss Dennett is recovering from an illness, but is much improved in health.

Judge Stearns had a rather peculiar case in court on Monday morning, in the case of Elias Carey, against C. E. Sebeague, two Syrians. Besides the assault case, another officer had them both on a fray on Waldo street, Sunday. The Judge dismissed them on the payment of costs in both cases.

On Friday night the first Military Ball of the season was held in Howard Opera House at Mexico, about fifty or sixty couples were present. The grand march was led by Lieut. Hadley and wife, followed by Sergeant and Mrs. Coolidge and after these the rest of the militia boys and their friends. Excellent music was furnished by Wells, Maurits, Harlow and Parsons. The ball was voted a success by all attending.

Little Miss Harriet Derry, entertained a party of eight little Misses at her home in Virginia, on Friday afternoon, from three to five in honor of her sixth birthday. The afternoon was pleasantly spent by the little folks in playing games, later they were invited to the dining room by Mrs. Derry, where a most inviting looking table was spread, in the center being a large birthday cake, surrounded by candles. Ten cream, cake and fancy crackers were served by Mrs. Derry, assisted by her sister, Miss Bernice Tibbott. As a souvenir of the occasion, each little girl was presented with a small basket filled with candy. Miss Harriet was the recipient of many beautiful presents, among those present were Evelyn Thatcher, Emma Barker, Ellis Hall, Helen Jordan, Florence McArthur, Cassie Gibbs, Marjorie Akers and Harriet Coolidge.

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Stanley Bisbee, Rumford.

was in town last week, calling on his old friends.

Mrs. E. O. Wyman returned from the C. M. G. Hospital, Tuesday of last week and is very comfortable.

Mrs. Mollie Lynch is housekeeping in the rent formerly occupied by Mrs. L. L. Beck.

Mrs. C. B. Richardson of Strong and Miss Cora Worthing of Greatfield, N. H., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gould, over Sunday.

Miss Ruth Hight of Phillips, was a dinner guest of Bertha Guild, Friday of last week.

Will Babb and wife and Mary Brackett, left for Boston, Monday morning, for a short vacation.

Miss Harrows of Canton, is caring for Mr. and Mrs. Newton Stowell, who are both on the sick list.

THE ROYAL MONTH OF THE ROYAL DISEASE.

Sudden changes of weather are especially trying, and probably to none more so than to the scrofulous and consumptive. The progress of scrofula during a normal October is commensally great. We never think of scrofula—its humors, catarrhs, eruptions, and wasting of the bodily substance—without thinking of the great good many sufferers from it have derived from Hood's Sarsaparilla, whose radical and permanent cures of this one disease are enough to make it the most famous medicine in the world. There is probably not a city or town where Hood's Sarsaparilla has not proved its merit in more homes than can be arrested and completely eradicating scrofula, which is almost as serious and as much to be feared as its near relative, consumption.

NORTH WEST ALBANY.

Mrs. Hannah Mason has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. W. Rolfe.

Bert Brown is gaining slowly. He has been very sick.

Mr. Cyrus Mills had quite an illness the past week.

Mrs. H. O. Rolfe has been visiting her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rolfe and brothers, H. W. and G. M. Rolfe, the past week.

E. W. Rolfe caught a cold Saturday night.

Edith Mills shot a fox not far from E. W. Rolfe's house, recently. He has been very bold, catching hens, having caught over thirty for C. W. Rolfe and several from E. Rolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hatchkins and children were in this place recently.

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TRUE MEANING OF "MORTIFY"

Would seem that users of the word have little conception of its real significance.

The average acquired meanings of many words were being discussed the other night, when one of the group said: "I wonder how 'mortify' has come to mean something similar to 'humiliate'." The word shows on its face that it was derived from the two words which mean "death" and "to make," yet except in the sense of "to make dead" it has no connection with "death" in our modern vocabulary.

The interest generated by the remark caused the word to be looked up in the dictionary and it was found originally to have been used to refer to "making dead" the carnal affections and bodily appetites or worldly desires, through religious or other discipline.

A number of early English writers were quoted showing a use of the word entirely different from ours at present.

Harle wrote: "With falling moon, faded, worn out with tears."

Other writers like "Mortify thy heart," and Addison wrote, "How often is the ambitious man mortified with the very success he has achieved."

The writers of these sentences would have found it hard to understand the present-day conversation about the mortification of having been "mortified" by the remark made one night, and would probably have guessed it was something entirely different from the word's original meaning.

MSE DEW AS DRINKING WATER

Method of Collecting for Use of Soldiers of British Garrison at Gibraltar.

Minerals dew has been used as a beverage only in poetry, for the sun, dew, and rain. It has recently been found that all the people gathered by being sent for the refreshment of British soldiers.

The English administration at Gibraltar, where water is very scarce, now collects dew by the following very simple method: A large net is hung in the night and covered with dry moss or straw, which is turned either with a stick or with a hand.

The straw or moss serves as a bed for the dew, and the net is turned over the moss, so that the dew is collected in the net. The net is then turned over the moss, so that the dew is collected in the net.

When dew is turned upon the moss, the layer of moss is very large, and the water then collected is turned over the moss, so that the dew is collected in the net.

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finger of her right hand. It did not pain very much, and after the preliminary scream little attention was paid to it. The blister that was raised was allowed to break rather than be opened carefully with an antiseptic needle; poison got into it, the finger became infected and eventually had to be removed below the second joint. Exquisite pain from any burn, however slight. This can be done in several ways. If no other remedy is at hand, common kitchen soap applied in a thick paste helps remove pain.

Science Not Sentiment. Vegetarians are sentimentalists, but sentiment and science are far apart as poles. Science is not even logic, because science is facts, and facts and bullets prove themselves and are their own best. Vegetarians will say, "Look at the animal products of Europe. Iceland, how little meat they eat!" But when these bulky peninsulas, Norway and Sweden, for instance, bring their vegetable habits of life with them to New York, London or Chicago, their lungs melt away like ice cream to hungry boys. These big, fine bodies were protected at home by isolation, fresh air and slow, life-long habits. New York Press.

The Turban. The turban, the new headpiece the women are wearing, is like charity. It covers up everything. A woman can do her own hair in a little and as small and tight as a donkey, then cover it over with a turban, and she looks as if she had so much hair she could not do it. The turban is a real curiosity. It is the turban who is hard pushed for a place to cover an old wife's head with her turban, and she will have one on her head as good as anybody's without a cent of expense. Atlantic City.

An Eye for Business. While why are you so anxious to find that friend a dollar whenever he asks it? He only spends the money in drink and cigars. Black--Oh he always pays it back! White--But there must be some other reason for your ready generosity. Black--Well, there is. He always spends half of the money on me. Judge's Library.

The Librarian. An Atlanta grocer told more than he meant in his Christmas advertisement: "Apples, oranges, imported nuts, fruit cake, champagne and wine. Avoid the Rush. Remember, the Early Bird Gets the Worm." Everybody's.

No Possible Doubt. "You don't make me believe," said Mrs. Ingouff, "that the man the police caught pushing around our house wasn't a burglar. He looked it, but they found a 11 cent coin in his pocket."

Patience. Arthur (to his customer)--Now, I'll be quick with you. I refused a thousand dollars for it from an American, because I don't want it to go out of France. But I'll let you have it for ten. Ben Vincent.

That Nighty Fan. The collection of dew is very large, and the water then collected is turned over the moss, so that the dew is collected in the net.

Why He Liked It. Mrs. Jawback--Which photograph of my mother do you like best? Mr. Jawback--This one, "By All Means." Mrs. Jawback--Why, that's not a very good likeness. Mr. Jawback--No, but it shows her in a going-away gown. Cleveland Leader.

Undoubtedly. "Do you play any instrument, Mr. Jumpy?" "Yes, I'm a cornetist." "And your sister?" "She's a pianist." "And your mother?" "She's a violinist." "And your father?" "He's a pianist."--Tribune.

Strange Historical Fact. "My boy, old women are alive. Don't trust any one of them." "But father, things are different from when you were a boy. All the women you know are passed." "Certainly, my son, but when you are as old as I am, you will find that they're all come back again."--Life.

A Modern Success. Levelheaded--There goes the writer of the latest novel--one that everybody is using every over, millions of copies sold. Friends--That must be the one that he had a penitence of genius. Levelheaded--He hasn't. N. Y. Weekly.

Explained. "Why," asked the Alaskan youth, "do you permit yourself to be thus teased by Ketchikan?" "I suppose," answered Ketchikan, "it's because I was born with a taste for philosophy instead of with an artistic temperament." Washington Star.

Always Busy. "What kind of a statement is this?" "One of those who go around before election telling how people are going to vote and who are equally busy after election explaining why they didn't."--Washington Star.

Financially Informed. "Are you sure your son-in-law knows the value of a dollar?" "Yes," answered Mr. Cumson; "the date knows exactly what a dollar is worth--in European money."--Washington Star.

Wounded Pride. "What makes you wear a monocle?" "You wouldn't," answered Mr. Cumson. "The next time my titled son-in-law comes around I want to see if I can't look supercilious."--Washington Star.

Instructive. "Your friend is a literary authority. Is he? Has he ever done any constructive work?" "No, destructive. He's a book reviewer."--Chicago Tribune.

He knows. The Man--Say, why do you wake me up out of a sound sleep? The Wife--To stop the sound. Cleveland Leader.

Moderately Limited. "It's very modest, isn't it?" "Yes, it's not as great as his. He's got the word of M. Detroit Free Press.

WAGE WAR ON THE SHARK

People of the Tropics Have Somewhat Cruel Way of Dealing with Deafened Enemy.

For many years the question as to whether sharks will attack living human beings when in the water has been hotly debated by scientists, sportsmen and laymen in general.

Practically none of the divers lives in the tropics. Put the direct question to an inhabitant of tropical countries who lives on the seashore and he will unhesitatingly reply in the affirmative.

The average Panamanian would consider the question foolish. The bay on the Pacific side abounds in sharks, and none of the natives will ever take a swim in the deep waters of it. Some foreigners used to do so until one of the engineers working on the canal during the French regime, a young Colombian named Jules Patterson, was killed by a shark a number of years ago. When his body was recovered it had been almost entirely stripped of flesh.

This incident led to a war of reprisal on the sharks. Many of the natives are content with simply catching and killing them, but the favorite method is called "crucifying." The shark is hooked and drawn on deck, care being taken to see that he cannot use his terrible mouth for biting. He is laid down on boards and his fins are cut off. The shark is then thrown overboard. He cannot swim and he cannot steer himself. He is helpless and the other members of his own family attack and devour him.

SAT IN VICTORIA'S PRESENCE

But Two Men, Calling an Official Book, Have Been Known to Do So.

Two men were ever allowed to sit in the presence of Queen Victoria--in fact, it is said that probably not more than two ever enjoyed that privilege when they called formally or on official business, and these two were Gladstone and Mr. James Alexander Grant, M. P. of Ottawa. During one of his journeys in England he was called to the royal palace to see the queen, who was not in very good health.

The visitor was ushered into the presence of her majesty, who was seated. Unfortunately for the distinguished physician, it was a little difficult for him to hear and understand his hostess, so he went nearer and drew a stool close by her side and seated himself upon it, thus being able to hear her voice perfectly. It was an unconventional act in a royal presence and may have been termed unbecomingly, but the distinguished physician apologized later and explained why he had sat down before England's queen.

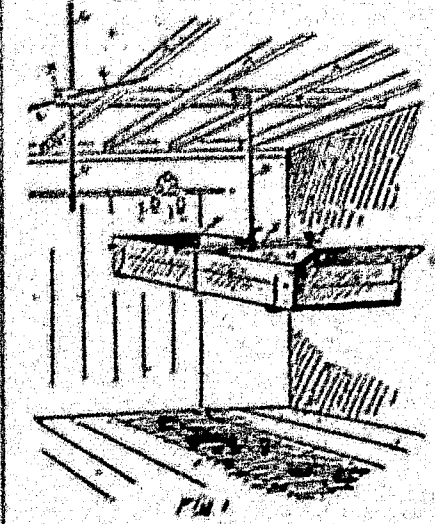
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Legs Were Numb. She--Are you tired of holding me, dear? He--No, darling, I just feel feeling long legs. Life.

HOW TO LIFT A WAGON BED

Illustration Showing How Body Can Be Raised, and Can Be Made By Any Handy Farmer.

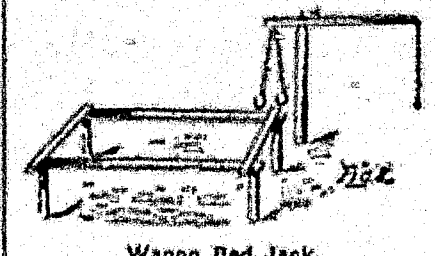
An apparatus for lifting a wagon body is a simple contrivance and may be made by a farmer handy with tools. A A (Fig. 1) are jacks of an ordinary wagon placed upon which is placed a wooden roller B. This is four inches in diameter. D is a strong rope which winds around the roller and is fastened at its lower end to the cross piece E. Through each end



Lifting Wagon Body.

of the cross piece passes a half-inch round bar F, with a bar on top of B. The lower ends of these bars end with square heads of three inches, which hook under the wagon bed and when turned half around will slip off and may be hoisted up and put out of the way. The handles C are four feet long and are mortised into the roller. A man or boy standing on the ground can turn the handles with ease and lift the bed in half the time it would require four men without this apparatus.

Fig. 2 shows a jack for a wagon bed and a platform or frame to re-



Wagon Bed Jack.

ceive the bed by driving four stout stakes into the ground, as high as the top of the standards and nailing cross pieces to them. The latter consists of a stout piece of scantling or timber, which will reach two feet above the wagon bed, the top rounded, and a pin driven into it, which passes through a slot in the lever. Two chains with hook are fastened at the short end of the lever and a rope or chain at the other end. The arm should be three feet and the lever and pins feet. The wagon is driven close against the side of the platform. The latter should be placed as shown in the illustration, on a line midway between the wagon and the platform. The hooks on the ends of the chains are then caught under the bed, or on the rod which passes through the rear end of the bed, and by pulling on the rope or chain the bed is easily lifted out and swung around on the platform. The front end may be lifted over. The jack can be used to return the bed to the wagon. The jack may be moved from place to place and is serviceable for lifting other heavy articles.

SELF-FEEDER FOR THE BEES

Simple Device for Feeding Industrious Little Insects with Sweet Stuff is Shown.

A very simple device for feeding bees on syrup is shown herewith. Take an ordinary fruit can, fill it full of syrup and over the top tie a thick rag with a string. Then invert the can in a small pan or dish. The syrup will seep out through the rag around the edges of the jar jar fast enough for the bees to keep it cleaned up.

Heats Not to Be Repeated. "You say you have quit smoking?" "Yes, never going to smoke again." "Then why don't you throw away those cigars?" "Never. I throw away a box of good cigars the last time I quit smoking and it taught me a lesson."--

The Man Doesn't Mind. Even the slightest little lady with gray hair at a man who is a perfect stranger to her when the street car in which she is standing jerks, and she fears that she is going to sit down in another perfect stranger's lap.--Somerville Journal.

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Peruna Tablets Tested.

What are the Peruna Tablets good for? Has anybody used them enough to know what they will do? Read the following letter and see. If you have any doubt as to the genuineness of the letter, write to Mrs. Lohr, enclose a stamp for reply, and see whether her testimonial is genuine or not.

Ravenna, Mich., June 16, 1909.

The Peruna Drug Co.

In regard to the Peruna Tablets, I have used about ten boxes in all.

While I was in Chicago my oldest daughter was bothered with a cough all the time. She has had it for four years. Sometimes it would go away, and in the winter time it was so bad that the doctors and professors said that she had consumption, and the only way to give her any relief was to perform an operation.

I spent so much money for different medicines, and for doctors also. Nothing seemed to help her.

So I saw the Peruna Tablets advertised in the paper, and I got a box and tried them. She could get some sleep by taking them. She would lie up all night and cough. So in all she took six boxes, and never was bothered any more.

I will leave this for any one to inquire at our old residence, where we lived in Chicago. All our neighbors would say that she could not live with such a cough. You don't know how thankful I am. She is eighteen years old.

My oldest son also was bothered with his stomach, throwing up, and his bowels so loose all the time. He was all run down for four months. I also doctor with him. One would say this and the other something else. I started in to give him the Tablets, and now he is all right and healthy looking. He took four boxes. That is all he wants to take whenever anything ails him.

So I praise your Tablets just as high as I have your Peruna. That is all the medicine that ever comes in my house. Whenever I travel I take some with me. I have had three of my children sick with scarlet fever two months ago, and that is all I used, was the Peruna and the Tablets. I did not lose any of them.

If there is any more information you want, why just let me know and I will be glad to do so. Yours truly,

Mrs. L. LOHR, Ravenna, Mich.

PROBATE NOTICES.

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand one hundred and ten. The following matter having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the 13th Tuesday of October, A. D. 1910, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Cyrus B. Littlehale late of Bethel, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof presented by Ada L. Littlehale, the executrix therein named.

Mary E. Kimball late of Bethel, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof presented by Leona Maud Stevens, the executrix therein named.

Edwin C. Rowe late of Bethel, deceased; petition for license to sell and convey real estate held in mortgage presented by Irving L. Garver, executor.

Mary J. Garland late of Bethel, deceased; first account presented for allowance by Edward C. Chamberlain, executor.

Michael Deegan late of Greenwood, deceased; first account presented for allowance by Mary E. Deegan, administratrix.

E. Elwyn Story, E. Mildred Story and Robert A. Story, minors, of Lincoln Plantation; first account presented for allowance by Bertha Story Wilcox, guardian.

ADDISON E. HERRICK
Judge of said Court.
A true copy--attest:
ALBERT D. PARK,
Register.

9-29-31.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Mary M. Ball late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds to the law. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted there to are requested to make payment immediately.

EDWIN J. BELL.
September 26th, 1910.
9-29-31.

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